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Two-way Traffic Resumes on North Bend Road in College Hill

As part of the continuing investment in the College Hill neighborhood, the City of Cincinnati and Trend Construction are completely reconstructing the roadway on North Bend Road from Colerain Avenue to Betts Avenue. This project will include the installation of new curbs, drive aprons, and an asphalt roadway. This work follows the recent replacement of a 12" and 24" water main under North Bend Road from Colerain Avenue to Hamilton Avenue.

Beginning September 5, 2007 Northbound North Bend Road between Belmont Avenue and Pawnee Avenue will reopen for the next phase of construction. One lane of traffic will remain open in each direction on North Bend Road during this phase. There will be additional changes in how traffic will access, exit, and cross North Bend Road.

- Access to and from Witherby Avenue and Betts Avenue will be closed
- Access to Simpson Avenue must be maintained at all times. When closing of Simpson Avenue is required, Witherby Avenue must be opened and available to traffic.
- North Bend Road between Pawnee and Belmont Avenue will have at least one lane open in each direction.

This phase of the project is expected to last approximately two months. Some detours are expected to be maintained until November 2007.

The City of Cincinnati and Trend Construction have set up a 24-hour hotline for residents and motorists to call to inquire about access issues. The hotline number is **(513) 265-8001**.

Drivers are encouraged to help improve safety by reducing their speed and using caution when approaching the work area.

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